

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary		Application No. 10/542,549	Applicant(s) LILEY, DAVID TIBOR JULIAN
Examiner NAVIN NATNITHITHADHA		Art Unit 3735	

All Participants:

(1) NAVIN NATNITHITHADHA.

(2) Josef Hoffman (Applicant's Representative).

Date of Interview: 15 December 2010

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Status of Application: _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

Time: 3:15 pm

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

35 U.S.C. 101

Claims discussed:

1-17, 23, 24, and 26

Prior art documents discussed:

none

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/Navin Natnithithadha/
Examiner, Art Unit 3735

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Claims 1-17, 23, 24, and 26 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 101 as being directed to non-statutory subject matter because these claims are method or process claims that do not transform underlying subject matter (such as an article or materials) to a different state or thing, nor are they tied to a particular machine. Examiner and Applicant's Representative agreed to a proposed Examiner's Amendment to claims 1, 3, 4, and 7 to overcome the 35 U.S.C. 101 rejection.